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HOLLAND CITY NEWS

S. L. MORRIS, Editor.

SATURDAY, JULY 19, 1879.

GREAT FIRE AT GRAND RAPIDS.

Last Sunday, about 3 o'clock p. m., a fire broke out in the barn of the Bridge Street House, and before the alarm could be generally given the building was nearly consumed. A south-west wind prevailing at the time, it was but a few moments ere a dozen or more buildings were enveloped in flame, and rapidly spreading. For three hours the fire flamed master of the situation, and although the fire department worked faithfully, nearly 100 buildings consumed, and 180 families are without a home.

The fire burned over an area of 15 acres, occupied for dwellings and workshops, reaching from Bridge street, on the south, to Trowbridge street on the north, and east and west from Canal to Ionia street.

Several large manufactories were burned, including the Grand Rapids Flouring Mills and Christ's brewery. A general stampede ensued, during which time several persons were seriously burned.

The loss, as estimated, is \$195,000, insured for \$167,000. The usual presence of mind was illustrated with numerous broken mirrors and plate-glass, white feather-beds and sad-irons were bundled with great care and caution.

The scarcity of water is thought by some to be the great cause for so general a conflagration in that city, and if such proves to be the fact, perhaps it will be the "eye-opener" for those citizens who voted against the water works project not long since. Water, is an element which our Grand Rapids neighbors do not take much stock in, and we may content ourselves to hear of such disasters until more water is secured and made applicable for such emergencies. Property enough has been destroyed since they began to attack the "water works" question to have paid for building a dozen different kind, that would give them sufficient water to use in every street in the city in case of fire.

Mayor Pierce promptly issued a proclamation calling a public meeting of the citizens, that such assistance as might be deemed proper should be rendered to the sufferers. The unexpected money in the hands of the Central Relief Committee will be applied to relieve the present sufferers. We also learn that Berkey & Gay will give \$1,000, besides giving their employees, who were burned out of house and home, as much furniture as they need to begin house-keeping with.

A City Relief Committee has been appointed to receive such aid as may be necessary for present relief. The committee are Julius Houseman, Henry Fralick, N. S. Avery, H. Grinnell, and D. P. Cley.

The big-hearted liberality of Grand Rapids, which has so often been called into requisition, will show itself equal to the emergency, as has already been indicated by many of its leading citizens. Although the loss is very great, yet we shall see that the energy of our Valley City friends is not shaken, and that ere many months, nothing will remain to mark the place of the great conflagration of July 1879.

A VISIT TO HOLLAND.

To the Editor of the Holland City News.

DEAR SIR:—I would like to interrogate the people of your place. Whether it is proper or not, to be put into your paper, I leave to your better judgment to decide.

I am a citizen of Utah Territory, and it is very seldom that I take a trip outside the place of my residence, except for business—never for pleasure—and that is only a few miles from home. Yet of late I was compelled to take an extended journey to the world-renowned city of Chicago, the "Pearl of the West."

While there, I remembered an old school friend of mine, living in the State of Michigan, in the not generally known city of Holland. That friend had lived there well nigh twenty years, and had taken possession of a great deal of what is generally termed "land," though some people like to call it—and so do I—"a heap of wilderness."

When I looked upon the labor, the courage, the patience, and the perseverance exhibited; then, truly, I could not restrain myself from asking my friend: "Don't you need anything more than labor, courage, patience and perseverance, to build a place like this in such a space of time?"

And although we had been long separated, and our ways and circumstances had been very different, we were just as cordial to each other as when school-boys. So he told me frankly, "Yes, we need besides those things you have mentioned, some things not generally looked upon by the people, but they are of great value to success in our calling."

Upon inquiry, he told me it was Faith, and Hope. He directed the conversation toward the erection of churches, schools and colleges, as consequences of the faith and hope of Holland City.

I asked him how they got along without commerce, for I thought that churches, schools and colleges must be supported by the fruits of the commerce coming from the sources of the manufacturing establishments, amusements and societies.

But now his cordiality became on the very brink of a standstill. He told me his first impressions in moving to this place, as having heard that it was a new settlement of Holland (Dutch) people, coming with very religious views to America, not intending to grow rich, but to live comfortable, and—as a religious sect.

For the sake of this principle, public amusements were not allowed, as being against the rules of christianity. But oh! there comes the Fourth of July, with such a nice and funny procession of the "Horribles"—and horrible it was—showing the present state of things among you. To my friend I was silent. Allowing myself to remain a few more days, my attention was attracted to the placards of Forepaugh's show, giving me knowledge that there would be a "circus and menagerie" the 9th of July.

I went up to see the show, inviting my friend and some lady friends to go along, getting an answer in the affirmative from the latter, and a negative, or rather a refusal from my friend, for he was a deacon of the church. When we arrived on the show-ground in the afternoon, I was struck with amazement, not for the sake of so many happy faces of the children, young men and ladies, but for the many full-grown people, deacons, elders, and ministers of the church, looking in bewilderment at the fantastic painted pictures in front of the show tents, the boys hollering, "Look here Johnny! see a lion and a tiger fighting!" A big snake!" See here, a man without arms and a woman with a beard!" and so on. Yet that is not all. In the tents I saw the deacons, the elders, the ministers, and above all, many members of the contentious, "Old School Board."

Being in the circus I heard the clown make some references to the sending of a petition to the Common Council, praying for a new election.

My friend told me that he, too, had signed such petition, but after thinking the matter over again he regretted that he had done so, for, said he, "Although I dislike Harrington—for his is, in the real sense of the word, the main object—we have to submit to the law, whether the law (new charter), is put upon us against the knowledge of the people or not, don't matter; we citizens have to submit, and to wait till the year is over and then—not before—has the people—and not a fraction of them—the matter in their own hands to decide what is right and just."

Now, Mr. Editor, here are my questions:

1. Is it just for a religious people to make such a disturbance for the sake of hate against one man?

2. Is it just for members of the Common Council and some of the "Old School Board" to complain about the cheapness of payment of the showmen now that the matter has gone by?

3. Is it just to say at the same time that it is only the Mayor, and the Mayor only, who is ruling and running the city? I supposed the Mayor was only presiding officer of the Council.

In waiting for an answer, I remain,

Yours, etc.,

SAMUEL STEYN.

We have received from Geo. W. Gigg's, President of the consolidated Fair of Michigan, a pamphlet copy of the premium list for 1879. The premiums are liberal and should invite earnest competition. We hope this portion of Ottawa county will be well represented in the various departments of Agriculture and Horticulture at the coming Fair.

DOG LAW.—This law will soon become operative—August 1st. Collar your dog and pay your license, or the City Marshal will have to cancel their life of life. The City and Township Clerk must give you a license by paying the legal fee.

Common Council.

CITY OF HOLLAND July 16.

The Council met in regular session, and was called to order by the Mayor. The roll was called by the Clerk. Present—Ald. Schaddelee, Kanters, Kamperman, Dykema, Duursema, Hoogsteger and Sipp. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The rules were suspended. Bills of account against the city were presented and on motion, seconded and carried, were referred to the committee on claims and accounts.

The Council then took a recess to enable the committee to make a report.

The council was called to order, all present. The committee on claims and accounts reported,

To the Mayor and Common Council. Your committee on claims and accounts respectfully report on the following claims and accounts, with recommendation that the same be audited and allowed, and the proper warrants drawn for the same:

J. Pit, for work on streets.....	\$10 87
W. B. Jamieson, painting.....	15 45
M. M. Clark, oil and pig's salary as fire warden.....	3 35
W. B. Jamieson, repairs on fire engine.....	12 75
W. B. Jamieson, for work on streets.....	25 75
G. W. McBride, bal. of 1st year's salary as City Attorney.....	20 00
C. F. Post, for exp. of telegraphing to Lansing.....	2 74
M. Hoogsteger, for exp. of obtaining Legal Opinions.....	5 10
J. Dykema, for services on Board of Registration and election of 1878, and exp. of procuring Legal Opinions.....	13 10
H. Nibbelink, terming.....	4 00
D. Sluiter, for bell ringing.....	25 00
Marshall Verplanken, for services taking prisoner to county jail.....	3 70
J. Verplanken, Marshall's salary.....	51 24
C. F. Post City Clerk's salary.....	50 00
W. B. Williams, Legal Counsel.....	10 00

Moved by Ald. Hoogsteger, seconded by Ald. Duursema, that the foregoing report be accepted, and the city clerk be instructed to draw warrants on the City treasurer for the respective amounts. Carried, all voting aye.

The special committee, to whom was referred the petition of Dr. B. Ledebor and 190 others, asking for a special election, reported as follows:

To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Holland.

GENTS.—Your committee to whom was referred the petition of Dr. B. Ledebor and 190 others, praying for the holding of a special city election, would respectfully report, that they have had the matter under consideration, and after a full and complete investigation, and a free interchange of opinions, have come to the following conclusion:

FIRST. The preamble of said petition says that, "The present Common Council has no authority to act under the new charter in the appointment of officers, created by said new charter." Hence, your committee apprehend by implication of the phraseology of said preamble, that the petitioners take it for granted that the present Common Council is an unlawful body, having no authority whatever in regard to the carrying out of certain provisions in said new charter, especially in those relative to the appointment of certain officers provided for in said new charter; and that a Common Council elected under the new charter is absolutely required for that purpose; and therefore, the signers of that petition ask for a special city election.

Your committee would recommend that said petition be respectfully laid aside, and that a special election be not ordered by the Common Council, for the following reasons:

FIRST. The Council has in good faith, already acted in relation to the appointment of new officers, created by the new charter, and some of those appointees had qualified before the presentation of this petition to the Council, which cases would involve a necessary reaction, which the Common Council considers to be beyond their jurisdiction and control.

SECOND. The petition embodies a request for a special election for the whole staff of city officers, including the judicial department. If the Common Council should order a new election, and among others, a Justice of the Peace, or any other officer appointed or elected should not voluntarily resign, but on the contrary, contest any invasion, which a new election would bring on his office, such action would necessarily involve a litigated contest with a heavy expense to the city. The Common Council, in the opinion of your committee, has no jurisdiction in the matter of a new election, according to the merits of the petition, and could not justify the ordering of a special election at this stage of the proceedings.

THIRD. The request for a special election, as set forth in the petition, is solely based upon "the opinion of J. W. Champin." If the Common Council should order special elections merely upon an opinion, they may be called upon to order a dozen or more elections between now and the annual charter election, which would certainly involve a great expense, and would give the people no real satisfaction after all.

Your committee would further request and recommend that this report, if adopted by your Honorable Body, be published in full, with the minutes of the Council; and your committee ask to be discharged from further duties in the matter.

Yours, respectfully,

M. HOOGSTEGE,
J. DYKEMA,
K. SCHADDELEE,

Moved by Ald. Sipp, seconded by Ald. Kamperman, that the report be adopted and the committee be discharged. Carried, all voting aye except Ald. Kanters, who voted nay.

The city clerk was instructed to present a bill to the Mich. L. S. R. R. for use of slip at the foot of 5th street.

The committee on ways and means were instructed to inquire into, and report on the advisability of borrowing the balance of the cash in hand of the Harbor Fund, and placing the same to the credit of the General Fund.

The city marshal reported the amount of license money collected up to date to be \$336 25, and presented the treasurer's receipt for the same.

The city clerk reported that Mr. J. E. Higgins has qualified as School Inspector, and that Mr. C. Vorst has not qualified as School Inspector, according to law.

On motion of Ald. Schaddelee, seconded by Ald. Dykema,

Resolved, That Henry D. Post be, and is hereby appointed to the office of School Inspector for the Public Schools of the city of Holland, to fill vacancy until the next charter election, and until his successor is elected and qualified.

Carried, all voting aye except Ald. Kanters, who voted nay.

The Mayor presented a message recommending the passing of an ordinance reducing the rate of licenses to auctioneers.

A motion was passed instructing the committee on ordinances to report an ordinance to the next meeting of the Council, relative to the matter recommended by the Mayor.

The City Attorney, G. W. McBride, tendered his resignation of his office to take immediate effect.

The resignation was accepted.

On motion of Ald. Schaddelee, seconded by Ald. Dykema,

Resolved, That Henry D. Post be, and is hereby appointed to the office of City Attorney of the city of Holland to fill vacancy, until his successor is appointed and qualified.

Carried, all voting aye.

Adjourned, to meet one week from to-night.

THE STEAMSHIP DISASTER.

New York, July 14.—The Times' special from Boston gives the following account of the treatment the steerage passengers of the City of Washington received after being landed from the wreck: The weather was cold and wet, and some of them were absolutely without shelter of any sort for five days and nights, and with nothing better than rocks for a bed. An old sail cloth protected some from the elements, but there was great suffering, particularly among the women and children.

THEY SUFFERED KEENLY

from hunger. The food given them was for the most part unfit to eat and very scant in quantity. It consisted principally of hard crackers and beef, some of which was

ABSOLUTELY PUTRID,

and half starved though they were they could not force it down their throats. They believe that by a little more effort on the part of ship's officers they could have fared much better in this and every other respect.

ROBBED AND FLUNDERED.

Another complaint, although not a general one, is that of the loss of personal effects and money, the taking of which they charge to the ship's crew. All day Sunday the rain poured down incessantly. The men were busy all that day getting baggage from the ship and at night nearly all had a blanket or a mattress, and, perchance, some other covering, but, of course, completely soaked with rain and salt water, for the sailors had tossed them on shore as carelessly as if it was a matter of no importance whether they reached land or were washed away by the sea. Meanwhile, regardless of the risk of the ship breaking up at any moment and leaving 500 people without the chances of obtaining a morsel of food for three days, cooking was done on board the ship and no effort was made to carry any provisions to the shore.

CABIN PASSENGERS FARED WELL.

The stewards looked out for the ladies, and gentlemen being in their company got enough.

STEERAGE PASSENGERS

were cerved in lumps. Some got plenty and others got none at all. There was no order, no discipline, and no regularity. Some were so overcome and fatigued that they had to be left behind at Harding's

IMPORTANT APPOINTMENT.

The land grant railroads of this State are about to commence proceedings in the United States Courts to test the right of the State to tax their land; and as it is probable that no action will be had in the State Courts, Gov. Bagley has retained the services of Hon. A. H. Giddings of this village as counsel, on behalf of the State. Judge Giddings's associates are Messrs. C. A. Kent and Alfred Russell, of Detroit, and Charles Upson, of Coldwater. The case is one of great importance to the State as it will involve taxes to the amount of several millions of dollars. The selection by the Governor of the Judge in this important matter will be most heartily approved by the people of Northern Michigan.—Newaygo Republican.

MILINERY AND Ladies' Furnishing Goods!

THE MISSES
L. & S. VAN DEN BERGE,
Would respectfully inform the Ladies of Holland and vicinity, that they are prepared with increased facilities to furnish them with the Latest Styles of
BONNETS, HATS, Ribbons, Flowers and Laces.
Velvet Cloakings, Velvet Ribbons, Dress Trimmings, EMBROIDERY, GLOVES, and a Full Line of
LADIES' FANCY GOODS!
AT LOWEST CASH PRICES,
AT THEIR NEW BRICK STORE,
Corner Eighth and Cedar streets Holland, Mich. 26-1.

Hardware Store!

E. VANDERVEEN,

Gratefully acknowledging the liberal patronage of his many friends and customers in the past, respectfully invites the attention of the Public to his

LARGE STOCK

GENERAL

Hard-ware

Hoping to see all my old friends and many new ones to examine my goods so well selected for the trade.

We have on hand a Full Assortment of the Best

COOK, PARLOR AND HEATING STOVES

Stove-Pipe, Stove Furniture Etc.,

Horse Nails,

Horse Shoes,

Wagon Springs,

Horse Trimmings,

Glass, Putty,

Paints, Oils,

Nails etc.,

Farmers' Implements

Carpenters' Tools,

And many other things too numerous mention.

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E. VANDERVEEN,

S. E. cor. 8th & River Sts. 1-1

Drugs, Medicines,

WM. VAN PUTTEN,

GENERAL DEALER IN

DRUGS,

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CHEMICALS,

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Patent Medicines,

OF ALL KINDS CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

CHOICE WINES AND LIQUORS,

For Medicinal Purposes Only.

Fancy Soaps & Perfumery

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FOR CATTLE OR HORSES.

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A. CLOETINGH,

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School Books,

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Envelopes,

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Writing Books,

Pens,

Pencils,

Albums,

Memorandum Books,

Dairies,

Slates,

Slate Pencils.

Stereoscopes and Views,

CHECKER BOARDS

TOYS AND CANDIES.

22-1.

A. CLOETINGH.

NEW MILLINERY ROOMS

New Goods!

New Styles,

And the latest varieties in all branches of the trade.

HAIR GOODS,

In every Variety, Style and Color.

See our full stock of Switches, Curls, Pompa-

padours, Braids, and Hair Ornaments,

of every description before

purchasing elsewhere.

Hair Dressing a Speciality!

Rooms on Eighth street, 2d door east of

the City Hotel.

Holland, Mich., June 28. 19-1

FURNITURE!

J. M. REIDSEMA & SON

Have on hand and for sale a large and

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First Class

FURNITURE,

Wall Paper,

Window Shades,

Carpets,

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Mattresses,

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Of the most approved style.

Thankful for past favors, a share of

public patronage is solicited.

J. M. REIDSEMA & SON.

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From his warehouse on dock.

E. J. HARRINGTON,

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FOR SALE BY

ENCOURAGING TO BUILDERS.

Sheboygan lime, best white, per bbl.....\$1 40

Fresh, Grand Rapids, per bbl.....1 25

FOR SALE BY

E. J. HARRINGTON,

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From his warehouse on dock.

House Moving!

WM. H. FINCH

would respectfully inform the citizens of this

city and vicinity that he is fully prepared to

move any building, with entire new machinery

which may be required of him, at short notice.

Families need not leave the building while mov-

ing. Give me a cal

18-1.

W. H. FINCH

Special Notices.

Regular Communications of Unity Lodge No. 191, F. & A. M., are held at their Hall, in Holland City, on Wednesday evening on or before the full moon of each month. Special Communications are held on the intervening Wednesday.

W. J. Scott, W. M.
J. O. Donsbach, Sec'y.

I. O. O. F.

Holland City Lodge, No. 192, meets every Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, in Odd Fellow's Hall, on Eighth street. Visiting brothers are cordially invited.

UNION HOTEL, Zeeland, Mich. convenient to Depot and Grist-mill; good stabling in connection.
C. Bloom, Prop'r.

Holland, July 19, 1873.

Local News.

The Second Reformed Church in this city is rapidly assuming shape, and ere long will be an ornament to the place. Contractor Minderhout is pushing the work in his usual energetic manner.

River street, during the dry weather, is impassable for teams with heavy loads, and teamsters are hoping that something will be done for their relief. Property owners on this street seem to have fallen into a state of indifference regarding any further improvements.

The State Insurance Company of Hannibal, Mo., and the Allemania Insurance Company of Cleveland, O., have withdrawn from this State on account of the generally unprofitable character of their business so far during the year. The authority of these companies in Michigan has been revoked by Commissioner Row.

The Lansing Republican says that work upon the capitol begins to make a show. The footing stone on the south end are nearly all laid, as is the concrete, and the bricklaying will soon commence. Six new derricks are to be built, making eight within the foundation walls.

The Otsego Herald is upon our table. It is a neat, five-column paper, excellent in typographical appearance, is ably edited and deserving a better fate than its predecessors. We hope the Otsegoites have learned to appreciate a good thing, and that the Herald will be ably sustained. We tally five cents for your paper, Mr. Winchell.

All who are interested in promoting the establishment of the Holland Iron Company, are requested to meet at Bakker & Van Raalte's Music Hall, on Wednesday evening next. The business of the meeting will be such as will require the co-operation of every property owner in the city. Turn out en masse and let us see if the work cannot be secured without delay.

Mr. A. Cloetingh met with a serious accident on Wednesday last. He was using his paper-cutter, when something about the machine became detached, and in attempting to find the difficulty the knife fell from the cutter to the floor, one end of it striking upon one of his feet, cutting through the bones of the foot making an ugly wound. He was promptly attended to by Dr. Annis and is doing well.

The Drama.

That portion of our people who are fond of the drama have been enjoying it for two evenings past. The Sawtelle Constellation are playing a short engagement at Bakker & Van Raalte's Music Hall. On Thursday evening, they opened with "Rip Van Winkle." Those who witnessed the play speak in terms of praise of Mr. Sawtelle's representation of "Rip Van Winkle," and say that the different parts were well sustained.

This evening, which is positively the last chance of hearing this popular troupe, will be presented the play of Enoch Arden. The presentation of this drama for the first time in this city should insure a full house, as we have no doubt it will. We may say that this company is giving to us the most refined and celebrated series of entertainments ever offered to this people, and we hope their efforts will be appreciated, by giving them a full house this evening. Let every one go and hear "Enoch Arden." one of the most beautiful pieces ever presented to an American audience.

The SAWTELLE CONSTELLATION is no catch-penny affair, and is worthy of an appreciative audience. Go to Bakker & Van Raalte's Hall and hear this popular troupe to-night.

Mr. John Quartel, to whom was awarded the contract of paving the gutters on Eighth street, is at work on them, and when completed, we will wager our "beaver" that a finer street can not be found in Western Michigan, and if our "city dads" had not forbidden, we might some day see some of Boone's or Bender's fast nags striking for a premium over Dexter or Ethan Allen. Such is fate.

The winl grist mill, of A. Geerling under his new patent, has proved a failure, and Mr. G. is now seeking for capital to put in an engine. We hope he will succeed, as another mill is needed here, and Mr. Geerling is deserving of encouragement in his enterprise. We regret the loss which this failure incurs upon him, as he was one of the heavy losers by the fire and had but little left to rebuild with.

We have noticed for some weeks a new washing machine on exhibition at the Family Supply Store of A. Flietstra. It is an invention of W. K. Flietstra, of this city, and has been named the "Balance Washer." It seems to be constructed upon scientific principles, and we presume it will become a general favorite with the ladies as soon as fully known. A patent has been secured and the machines are being manufactured of different sizes for sale. A more complete description of the machine will be given as soon as we learn its merits.

During the month that our harbor has been opened, the books at the Custom House show a very rapid increase of business. The amount of shipping done here has very largely increased in number of arrivals and departures, and in tonnage. With the same ratio of increase as at present indicated, we shall soon see the fact demonstrated that the improvement of our harbor was an investment which the interest of commerce demanded. We hope to see the work fully completed at an early day, when we shall see as good a harbor at this point as any on this shore.

During the storm last Monday Evening the house of Patrick Quigly of Olive was struck by a falling tree and nearly one half of the house was demolished. There were seven persons in the building at the time who had retired for the night but, owing to the violence of the storm the inmates had arisen and were partially clothed when the tree struck. A considerably furniture was broken; fortunately no person was injured, but Pat says they were terribly frightened.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

White-wash brushes, a very large stock, just received at Walsh's City Drug Store. 20-25

Perfumery, Hair-oils, Pocket books, Brushes, etc., etc., in great variety, at Walsh's City Drug Store. 21-26

Fever and Ague can be cured for one dollar—and Halstead's Pills will do it. For sale only at Walsh's City Drug Store. 17-52

Have you ever used the Dexter Liniment? It is the most valuable liniment ever prepared, both for man and beast, for sale at Walsh's City Drug Store. 19-24

House and Villa Paint, mixed ready for use, all colors. These paints are Reynolds' make, known to be the best in the market, and for sale in this city, only at Walsh's City Drug Store. 18-23

J. M. Reidsema & Son would inform the public generally, that they have reduced the price of their famous Cane Seat Chairs \$3.00 per dozen, and on all Rockers 50 cents apiece. A full assortment of Baby Carriages on hand, for sale cheap, for cash. 19

Dr. Mac Rae will be at the City Hotel Holland, Mich., Monday, Aug. 4th, and on the first Monday of each month thereafter, and remain two days, for the especial practice of Surgery, and diseases of the Eye and Ear. Permanent office at Saugatuck, Mich. 15

NOTICE—I want to dispose of my entire stock of hardware, stoves, nails, etc.; and will sell until further notice, at prices below cost, for cash only. And I hereby request all persons who are indebted to me, to come and settle without delay, and save cost. Accounts must be settled and stock must be sold. J. VAN LANDEGEND. Holland, Mich., May 31. 15

\$5 to \$20 per doz. Agents wanted! All kinds of Working People, of either sex, young or old, make more money at work for us than for themselves. Call on us at our office, or send us your name. Address: C. B. Smith & Co., Portland, Me.

An Ordinance Relative to Salaries.

SECTION I.
ARTICLE 1. The City of Holland ordains: That the city marshal shall receive a salary of five hundred dollars for the fiscal year A. D. 1873; That the city clerk a salary of three hundred dollars for the fiscal year A. D. 1873; That the city treasurer a salary of one hundred dollars for the fiscal year A. D. 1873; That the city collector a salary of two hundred dollars for the fiscal year A. D. 1873. The chief of the fire department a salary of twenty-five dollars for the fiscal year A. D. 1873.

SECTION II.
This Ordinance shall take immediate effect. Passed July 8th, 1873, and approved same date.

E. J. HARRINGTON, Mayor.

CHAS. F. POST, Clerk.

Order of Publication.

STATE OF MICHIGAN:

The Circuit Court for the County of Ottawa—In Chancery.

John W. Hopkins, Complainant,

vs.

J. Potter Hart, Rufus Edwards, Garden City Manufacturing and Supply Co. of Chicago, Arthur Gustorf, Frank Gustorf, for the use of Thomas Seymour, Jacob Rhem, Arthur Gustorf & Co., John H. Waters, Andrew E. Monard, John C. Maxwell, Henry O. McDaid and Anthony C. Hessing, Defendants.

At a session of said Court, held at the Court House, in the city of Grand Haven, in said county, on the 3d day of June, A. D. 1873. Present—Hon John W. Stone, Circuit Judge. It is satisfactorily appearing to this Court from the files in this cause, that the defendants, Jacob Rhem, Henry O. McDaid and Anthony C. Hessing are non-residents of this State, and residents of the State of Illinois, and that a subpoena heretofore issued in this cause could not be personally served on the said last named defendants by reason of their absence from this State.

On motion of Lowing, Cross & Angel, complainant's solicitors, it is ordered that the said defendants, Jacob Rhem, Henry O. McDaid and Anthony C. Hessing cause their appearance in this cause to be entered within three months from the date of this order, and that in case of their appearance they cause their answer to the complainant's bill to be filed, and a copy thereof to be served on the complainant's solicitors within fifteen days after service of a copy of said bill and notice of this order, and in default thereof, that the said bill be taken as confessed by the said defendants, Jacob Rhem, Henry O. McDaid and Anthony C. Hessing; and it is further ordered that within twenty days the said complainant cause a notice of this order to be published in the HOLLAND CITY NEWS, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said county, and that said publication be continued therein, once in each week, for six weeks in succession, or that he cause a copy of this order to be personally served on the said absent defendants at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for their appearance.

JOHN W. STONE, Circuit Judge.

LOWING, CROSS & ANGEL, Solicitors for Complainant.

A true copy. A. A. TRACT, Register in Chancery.

21-26.

Twelve Good Reasons Why I Should Trust.

1. The pleasure of purchasing and opening a set of books.
2. The employment of a book-keeper at a high salary.
3. The employment of one or two men to collect your accounts.
4. When called upon to pay some demand—it is so convenient to have a good number of accounts on your books.
5. The pleasure of sending in your bills through the post-office and seeing nearly one half of your bill paid for postage, returned to settle some account.
6. To hire persons to make collections, and have the greater part of the bills returned unpaid, bringing you in debt to the collector.
7. Trusting parties who have always been your customers, and have the pleasure of seeing them go around one or two blocks to shun your place of business, and take their cash to a rival establishment.
8. To wait a year or two, send in your account, and see the party get up and curse and swear—that if you *don't* them, you will never get your pay, and they will be cursed if they ever patronize you again.
9. The pleasure of having parties leave town, forgetting to settle that little account on your books.
10. Being compelled to take legal measures to collect your just dues, and thereby making friends with all the relations, friends and acquaintances of the party.
11. The knowledge that you must add all the bad debts in as expenses, and charge all your customers an additional price to cover, is very annoying.
12. The pleasure of making any number of enemies (if you ever ask for your own), who will be sure to run down your store and all connected with it.

NOTICE.

For the above twelve good reasons, I hereby give notice, that on and after this date, all goods sold at the City Drug Store, will be for CASH, or its equivalent; and shall give my customers the advantage of an immense stock of goods, and a cash trade.

Now I Mean Business.

I have on my books, accounts ranging from twenty five cents to hundreds of dollars, and I want all who read this notice (if in my debt), to call at once and pay. I must have the money, and I will let you settle without costs, but if it is your wish that I shall add interest and costs I will do so. Remember this. I intend to have my pay and close my books, and have what is my just due.

HEBER WALSH,

Prop'r of the City Drug Store, Holland, Mich. 16-24

Save Your Ashes

MICHAEL MOHR,

Manufacturer of

SOAPS AND POTASH

At the foot of Market St., Holland, Mich.

Farmers and others will find it to their advantage to save their ashes, for which I will give them hard or soft soap as may be desired, at prices as low as can be had in this city.

SOAP GREASE

also wanted in exchange for soap.

Clothing.

Remember!

Our Number is 36 Canal Street, Grand Rapids, Mich.

We have no Branch Store, so don't make a Mistake.

SUMMER

Cassimere Suits,

\$15 to \$25.

ONE PRICE

SQUARE DEALING

FINE

Black Suits,

\$12 to \$40.

MEN'S LINEN

Coat & Pants

75c and up.

CHILDRENS' SUITS

LATEST STYLES

\$3 to \$12.

LARGEST STOCK

In Michigan.

Working Pants

75c TO \$2.00

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STAR CLOTHING HOUSE,

The Great One Price Store, 36 Canal St., Grand Rapids Mich.

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Linen Suits,

\$2.50 to \$12.00.

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75c and up.

BOYS' SUITS

ALL KINDS

\$4 to \$15.

LARGEST STOCK

In Michigan.

Hickory Shirts

25c EACH.

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DR. E. WOODRUFF,
BOTANIC PHYSICIAN,
38 CANAL STREET.

[UP STAIRS.]

WHO has for the past twelve years been located in Opera Block, has now, since being burned out, removed his stock to 38 Canal street, where he continues to cure every description of ACUTE, CHRONIC and PRIVATE DISEASE, on the most reasonable terms. He manufactures all his remedies from the raw material, hence, known to be PURELY VEGETABLE. He uses no MINERALS or POISONS. Having prescribed for over eighteen thousand patients within the past ten years, without losing one of them, where he was the only doctor called. He guarantees reasonable satisfaction in the treatment of every disease which afflicts humanity.

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Among the leading articles of medicine manufactured by him are LIVER SYRUPS, COUGH SYRUPS, and FEMALE RESTORATIVES; all of which give universal satisfaction. Call and counsel with a doctor who will promise you nothing but what he will faithfully perform, and will correctly locate your disease and give you a correct diagnosis of your case without asking you scarcely a question. Liver complaints treated for fifty cents per week, and other diseases in proportion. Counsel at the office FREE.

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The best ever introduced in this country. Save your money and buy P. H. WILMS' pumps. They are made of the best and most durable material, besides being the most ornamental, working easy, so that any child can pump with the greatest ease, and will fill an ordinary pail in five strokes. For cistern and well pumps, they cannot be surpassed. Sold at wholesale and retail by

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The Best Paint in the World.
Any Shade from Pure White to Jet Black.
A combination of the purest paint with India Rubber, forming a smooth, glossy, firm, durable, elastic and beautiful paint, unaffected by change of temperature, is perfectly suited for use, and adapted to all classes of work, and is in every way a better paint for either inside or outside painting than any other paint in the world, being from one-third to one-fourth cheaper and lasting at least three times as long as the best lead and oil paints. Be sure that our TRADE MARK, (a face inside of which is given above), is on every package. Prepared ready for use, and sold by the gallon only. For sale by

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would respectfully inform the citizens of this city that, in view of the fact that he is prepared to move any building, with his new machinery, which may be required of him, at short notice. Families need not leave their belongings while moving. Give me a call.

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Also a complete Stock of

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ALWAYS ON HAND.

All goods purchased of us will be

Delivered Free!

to any part of the city.

Give us a call before purchasing elsewhere, as our New Store on River Street, next to Van Patten's Drug Store.

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Everybody who wishes to purchase PAINTS, OILS, VARNISH, BRUSHES, GLASS etc. to call and examine my stock. The

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made in New York, expressly for my own trade cannot be surpassed. It is warranted superior to any White Lead in this market, and is sold at a much less price. My stock is purchased in large quantities of first hands, saving all jobbers' profits, and can, therefore, afford to sell below my neighbors.

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Pure wines and Liquors for medicinal use only, and all other articles usually kept in a

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I have the largest and most complete stock of goods in Western Michigan, all purchased for Cash, from FIRST HANDS, selected with great care and shall sell at reasonable profits.

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VEGETABLES,

In their seasons, at lowest prices.

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We manufacture to a great extent our own work, which cannot be excelled for

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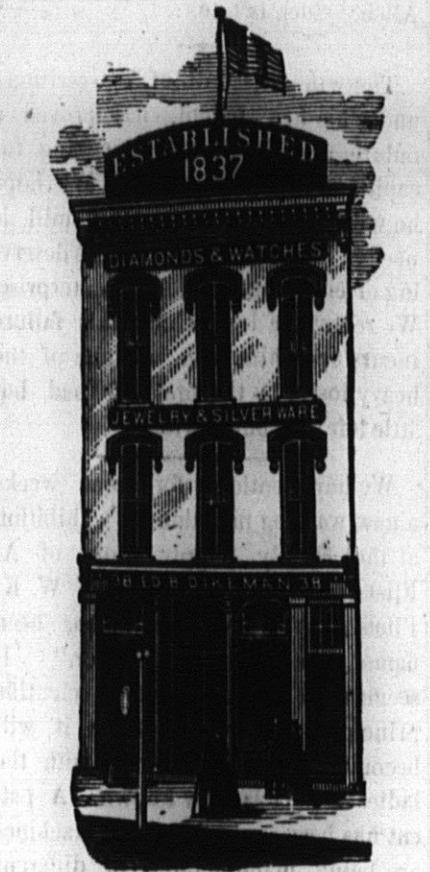
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